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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] <u>YOUNG WILLIAM D</u>					V	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA [VRTX]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify				wner
INCORF	C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/01/2020										below)			below)	
50 NORTHERN AVENUE (Street) BOSTON MA 02210					_ 4.											 B. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person 				
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(1)

05/31/2030

Common Stock

Stock Option (Right to Buy) \$286.27

Explanation of Responses:

1. Fully vested.

Remarks:

/s/ Sabrina Yohai, Attorney-in-**Fact**

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\$0.00

06/03/2020

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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

06/01/2020

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